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GEORGIA RAILROAD BANK.

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Capital and Surplus - \$650,000.00.

This bank solicits the accounts of Firms, Corporations and Individuals, extending every accommodation consistent with good banking.

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One ounce will sow 200 ft. of drill. 1 to 2 pounds for an acre. 1 to 5 lbs., 25c; 5 to 10 lbs., 20c; 10 lbs. and over 18c.

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Sow one ounce for 300 to 4,000 plants. Four ounces for one acre. Late Flat Dutch, per lb. \$1.25. Late Drumhead, per lb. \$1.25.

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White Selected, per lb. 75c. Georgia, per lb., 75c.

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Southern Giant Curled, per lb. 40c. One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill. Dwarf Essex Rape, per lb., 15c.

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WHOLESALE SEEDSMEN, COLUMBIA, S. C.

A MONEYED MAN

may be of two kinds. One who has inherited money and one who has saved money.

DON'T THINK TOO BIG.

Begin way down with the pennies and the dimes and the dollars. They are the seeds of fortune. That is the only way money grows. Bring your money seeds to

- The -

CITIZENS BANK

of Batesburg, S. C.

We pay interest, and start you on the right road to prosperity.

COTTON MARKET.

Batesburg Spot 14 1-8

All those having visitors will confer a favor upon The Advocate by sending in their names on or before Thursday of each week.

Personals

Miss Eva Hite returned to Blackville Sunday.

Mrs T A Quattlebaum left Wednesday for Edgefield.

Mr and Mrs Y S Holstein of route 1 were here yesterday.

Mr and Mrs Rodgers of Bargle's Bridge were in Batesburg Monday.

Mr W H Hodge is with his family for a few days.

Mrs Annie Rawl and Miss Fay Lynch returned Wednesday from Augusta.

Quite a number of our Batesburgians attended the Lexington Fair on Wednesday.

Mr B T Boatwright of Johnston was a recent visitor here.

Mr L D Cullum returned Tuesday from a business trip to Washington D C.

Miss Reid of Walhalla is the guest of Mr and Mrs J B Reid.

Mr D E Etheredge spent several days in Orangeburg this week.

Mrs T B Kernaghan and Mrs R H Timmerman were visitors to Augusta Monday.

Mrs W W Brooks of Saluda was here Monday.

Mrs J C Cullum spent Tuesday in Columbia.

Mr and Mrs Tom Rikard left Monday for Florida where they will make their future home.

Mrs S J Cullum and little Henry have returned to Augusta.

Mrs Sydney Holstein of Monticello was in town shopping Monday.

Miss Katherine Cullum was a visitor to Columbia Tuesday.

Mrs F E Cullum visited Augusta this week.

Mrs Jesse Youmans is visiting her son at Blacksburg.

LAND SALE

On Thursday, Nov. 4th 1909, at 11 o'clock in front of the post office at Leesville, S. C., I will sell to the highest bidder, the following property: Two vacant lots on Lee street adjoining the Mattress Factory containing 2 1-3 acres each (2 1-3.)

One lot containing 1 3-4 acres with 4 room dwelling on same. Said lot is on East Avenue. Terms one half cash. All interested, and for full particulars call on or write, E. J. Etheredge, Agt. Leesville, S. C. Oct. 15, 1909.

BIG CREEK NEWS.

Mrs E J Amaker is on the sick list.

Messrs J L and J T Mack visited Johnston last Saturday.

Mr A P Stone and wife of Travis visited this neighborhood last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr D P Trotter went to Chappell on business one day last week.

Mr Willie Busch and wife left last week for Columbia where they will make their future home.

Misses Fannie and Mattie Burnett were in Saluda last Saturday.

Mr J B Quattlebaum made a speedy trip to Saluda Saturday.

Our neighborhood was shocked last Friday when the news came that Mrs W H Crawford was dead. She had been in poor health for several weeks. She was laid to rest at Bethel on Saturday. She leaves a husband and six children to mourn her loss.

Mr J P Styron and daughter of Ward was in this section one day last week.

Mr Jesse Mack and family will leave in a few weeks for Largo, Fla. They will be missed in this community and also in Shiloh church.

Misses Minnie and Eula Cockerel visited at Saluda Saturday.

Mr M C Berry and family of Dyson were visitors in this section last week.

Miss Sallie Mack a charming young lady of this section is spending a few days with relatives at Ward.

Mrs D P Trotter made a flying trip to Ninety Six last Friday.

Mr J E Mack of the Ward section was among the visitors here last week. Mr Mack is always welcome in our community.

Prof T E Dorn visited at Saluda last Saturday.

Mrs Willie Sheppard of Prosperity is spending this week with Mr and Mrs E J Amaker.

Mr M B Stone and son Luther were in Saluda Saturday.

Mr W M Rushton took a business trip to Johnston last Friday.

Messrs Andrew and Kirkey Gardner went to Chappell last week.

Mr James Mack Jr will leave in a few days for Columbia.

Mrs J A Feagle and daughter Miss Mattie Lou went to Saluda last Thursday.

Mr Luther Blease and John Payne worshipped at Shiloh last Sunday afternoon.

Messrs James Mack and Maurice Griffith visited around Trinity and Good Hope last Sunday.

Mr John J Carson went to Greenwood last Saturday.

Fine Selected Stock

Mr L. D. Brabham of Ellenton, S. C. is here with a car load of fine brood mares and mules which he has just received. This stock has been carefully selected by Mr. Brabham in the Western market and is now being offered at exceptionally low prices.

All those desiring a fine brood mare or a fine pair of mules can come and make their selection from the bunch which is quartered at M. E. Rutland's new stables.

MRS RIDGELL ILL

Mrs. McFall Ridgell is still suffering with a high fever and is not able to see any visitors. Those who call will not be admitted as per doctors orders.

COTTON BREAKS SEASON'S RECORD

ACTIVE MONTHS GO BEYOND FOURTEEN AND HALF CENTS.

THE BULLISH REPORTS PERSIST

THE MARKET CLOSING WITH NET GAIN OF FROM THREE TO TWENTY POINTS FOR THE SESSION

New York, Oct. 27.—There was continued excitement in the cotton market today with the prices again making new high records, and most of the active months selling above 14 1-2 cents on sensational bullish estimates of the crop and reports that planters were hedging for higher prices. Both Southern and Western bulls were credited with being aggressive buyers at times during the day.

December cotton sold as high as 14.47 and May at 14.63 during the afternoon. Realizing caused slight reaction later, but the market closed very steady at from 3 to 20 points net higher.

Two prominent Southern authorities issued estimates of the crop, one placing it at 170,300,000, and the other 10,520,000, comparing last year's commercial crop of about 13,800,000 bales.

LYCEUM SCORES AGAIN

CHICAGO GLEE CLUB MADE HIT AT THE ACADEMY LAST NIGHT.

(October, 26.)

The second number of the Charleston Lyceum was greeted by an enthusiastic but altogether too small audience at the Academy of Music last night. From the first number to the last everything was encored, and the Chicago Glee Club must have flattered by the warmth of the reception given it.

The evening opened with an excellent rendition of Dudley Buck's "On the Sea" as an encore to Water Lilies, which quite won the audience. "Peter Piper" was given. This was excruciatingly funny. The trombone quartette did very well with the "Pilgrim's Chorus" from "Tannhauser." Mr Dixon made a hit with his character sketch, "The Hoosier." His makeup was good and he was able to work in some of Riley's poems with delightful effect. Mr Dixon did not exaggerate wherefore perhaps, his humor would not have been appreciated by some, but the points were plain well taken and thoroughly enjoyed by intelligent audience.

The Charleston Lyceum has produced two offerings so far this season and both of them have been excellent. Those who were not at the Academy of Music last night missed a treat. News and Courier.

TAX NOTICE.

City tax are now due, and payable at the office of the treasurer

J. M. Malpass.

THE 'SPANISH SWINDLE' AGAIN.

"PETREVIEZ" TRIES HIS ANCIENT TRICK ON CITIZENS OF AIKEN

Aiken, Oct. 28.—A clever swindling scheme has been attempted here. Several letters purporting to be from a party promising to divulge information how to get a stupendous sum of money, have been received here as well as other places in this country, from information available. The letters were mailed from Madrid, Spain, evidently to evade the postal laws, and all replies must be cabled under a fictitious name.

The letters are signed Petroviez, and are of the same familiar sort which is used invariably by the promoters of this famous swindle scheme, whoever they may be. It is learned here that not a few persons have "bit" in various parts of the country.

PAY TAXES PROMPTLY.

Lexington, Oct. 26.—County Treasurer E L Wingard finished his first week on his annual rounds for the collection of taxes, during which he was in the Dutch Fork. The people of that section paid up well, better than in several years, which is an evidence of the prosperity among the people. In most instances the farmers have already sold their cotton, and this no doubt is accountable for the increase in tax collections. Mr. Wingard will not go out again until the second week in November when he will begin at Gaston Monday, November 8

LOST.

Between Perry, S. C., and Batesburg, S. C. or at Batesburg during the day of October 20th, pocketbook containing four \$5.00 bills, some cotton bills from Bean Brothers, Springfield, S. C., one to Polean Staley and one to Charley Stroman, together with other papers. Reward if returned to me at Springfield S. C. W. P. Hutto.

PRICE OF COTTON SEED RISES

FIFTY CENTS PER BUSHEL PAID IN ANDERSON MARKET

Anderson, October 26.—While the price of cotton has been soaring during the past week or two, the cotton seed market has been doing some climbing of its own accord. It is natural that the price of seed should go high, because of the shortness of the crop, but the competition between the oil mills has been responsible for some of the jump. There seems to be more competition among the oil mills than there is between the cotton mills, and at times it has been very lively. Last week the price of seed got up to 50 cents per bushel on account of contests between local buyers, but the price did not stay at this figure long nor did it reach this high notch at more than one or two places. The high price of seed means high prices for all seed products, of course. The mills can now sell their oil at 42 or 43 cents per gallon, and some of the mill men think it will go higher yet. Meal is quoted at \$30 per ton and hulls at \$8 per ton. Linter are selling at two or three times the price of a year.

AIKEN COURT ADJOURNED

AFTER A TEDIOUS TERM OF FOUR WEEKS THE FALL TERM CAME TO AN END SATURDAY--THE CASES TRIED--LAST DAYS OF COURT.

On Saturday the fall term of the Aiken court, after a conviction of four weeks, came to an end. Judge Gage left for his home late Saturday. The last case tried was that of D. K. Gantt et al., against Boliver Hall. This was suit for the possession of tract of land, and resulted in a verdict in favor of the defendant.

The case of B. H. Morris against the Seminole Manufacturing company was concluded Thursday night resulting in a verdict of \$20 for the plaintiff, Mr. Morris. This however, is practically a victory for the Seminole company.

New crop New Orleans Molasses just arrived at E. V. Cullum Co.

Brood Mares and Mules.

Some of the finest specimens of stock that can be found is now quartered at Rutland's new stables in Batesburg. The stock has been shipped here by Mr. L. D. Brabham for the buyers of good stock.

Mr. Brabham has been selling stock here for several seasons and knows the wants of our people in this community. He will be glad to demonstrate to prospective purchasers at any time and will see that satisfaction is guaranteed.

OPERA HOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT

The second Alkahest Lyceum attraction will be held on Saturday evening commencing at 9 o'clock at the Opera House in Batesburg.

The number will be "The Chicago Rice Club" one of the best of the six attractions coming to Batesburg this winter. There will be vocal and instrumental quartets, horn solos and characterization that will please everybody.

FOR SALE

Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock chickens, \$2.00 per pair.

Mrs. W. H. Atwell, Batesburg, S. C.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF LEXINGTON.

NOTICE: All persons having claims against the estate of V I Iam McAllister, deceased, will present the same, itemized and verified to the undersigned. All persons owning said estate will make payment to the undersigned at once.

F. H. Hutchinson, Admr. C. T. A. Estate of Wm. McAllister.

WANTED

A position as bookkeeper by a young lady. Batesburg Advocate.

FOR RENT.

One house and lot about 1-2 mile from town, 5 rooms, good water and no large gardens. Nice fruit, rent cheap. Apply at Advocate office.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES.

The Rev. Mr. Corri h of Spartanburg will preach in the Episcopal Chapel on Sunday morning Oct. 31, at eleven o'clock. He will also conduct a series of services in the Chapel on Nov. 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th, at eleven o'clock in the morning and eight o'clock in the evening. The public is cordially invited to attend any and all of these services.

LEXINGTON FAIR OPENS

GREAT CROWDS SEE FINE EXHIBITS AT COUNTY SEAT.

Lexington, October 26.—The thirteenth annual Fair of the Lexington County Fair Association opened today under the most auspicious circumstances. The weather has been ideal and the people have come from far and near in greater numbers than ever for the opening day of the Fair.

The exhibits in every department are unusually good and are in great variety and numbers. The horse and cattle department is better than ever, the entries being far above all previous years. This is an indication that the farmers of the county are taking greater pride each year in their stock. Lexington county can boast of as fine county raised horses and mules as any county in South Carolina.

The fine arts department is perhaps the most attractive of all the departments and the exhibits are better than ever. This department has been the subject of much favorable mention today. The floral department is full and the flowers shown are very handsome.

The poultry is very fine, which is an evidence that more attention is being given to the raising of fine poultry each year. Almost every breed of fowl is shown.

The field crop department, as usual, is very fine. There are more exhibits in this department this year than at the previous fairs, and the products shown exemplify the productiveness of Lexington soil.

All of the other departments are filled with creditable exhibits and the Fair is a decided success. There are plenty of amusements for everybody, there being a number of different attractions. All are out for a good time and they are having it. Tomorrow will probably be the biggest day of the Fair and it is expected that a very large crowd will be in attendance. The Fair will come to a close on Thursday afternoon.

COLORED STATE FAIR NOTES.

We are glad to see that Mr. W. H. Fitzgerald of Richmond, Va., has granted reduced rates on all railroads in South Carolina, and from all important stations; from Charlotte and Aheville, N. C., and from Augusta and Savannah, Ga., to the State Colored Fair with privileges to stop over going and coming at Columbia, S. C. One can buy tickets to the Fair from November 5th to the 13th, to Batesburg and such tickets are good until the 16th of November. All colored people who own automobiles are requested to bring them to Batesburg for exhibit. The white fair grounds at Batesburg are being put in shape for us. Rev. E. W. Bowen is preparing to accommodate all visitors at reasonable rates. The outlook is that there will be at least 20,000 people on the ground during the Fair. The rates are the same as those granted to the white fair association. (N O BATESBURG) Bring your best stock, this is your fair. Attend it. The Legis. sure of South Carolina has given us \$500 to pay out as premiums. Bring your fancy work as well as your stock. Richard Carrill, President.